



She was tempted, but finally resolved to accept the offer made her by Charles Frohman.

The cover of last week's Mirror contained a handsome picture of Sarah Truax.

Marie Janson and Pauline Hall will both be in traveling vaudeville companies next season.

Sir Henry Irving's American tour will begin in October, the play being his present success, "Robespierre."

John Drew is to appear in "The Tyranny of Tears," in which Charles Wyndham has made a success in London.

Thirty-seven dogs, the property of Mr. William Faversham, will accompany their master on a trip to England.

Mrs. Leslie Carter's season closed at the Garrick theatre last night. She will open again in "Zaza" at the same theatre on Sept. 4.

Duse is to give a single performance of "Camille" in Paris. The proceeds to go towards the memorial to its author, Alexander Dumas, Jr.

Julian Story and his wife, Emma Farnes, will spend the summer at their Paris home, where Marlon Crawford will be their guest for a time.

The souvenir given for the one hundred and fiftieth performance of "Zaza" consisted of prettily illustrated books containing scenes from the play.

Nat Goodwin and Maxine Elliott made a personal success in London, but their play, "The Lady and the Cowboy," failed to please the critics.

A march and two-step, entitled "The Lowell," dedicated to the class of '99 of that school, has been composed by Harold O'Neil. It is published by the Coaster Music company.

It is said that an ingenious German has invented an automatic applauder. The idea is to do away with the paid claque and do that part of the management's work automatically.

At an annual meeting of the trustees of Shakespeare's birthplace it was reported that over 24,000 people, representing thirty-five nationalities, had paid admission to the poet's house.

Blanche Walsh has bought the jewels of the late Fanny Davenport for \$10,000. Miss Davenport's estate has been greatly overestimated. When she died it was thought her jewels would be found worth at least \$100,000.

Sarah Bernhardt says that "Hamlet" is the greatest tragedy ever written. It is expected that some testimonial will be given the actress for her activeness in making this remarkable discovery, and her generosity in sharing it with the world at large, says the Baltimore American.

"The Turtle," which comes to the Salt Lake theatre on next Saturday evening, recently celebrated its 30th performance in New York City at the Manhattan theatre, and is now touring the country. When "The Turtle" appears in this city it will be given with exactly the same cast as is now presenting the play in the metropolis. The principal artists in the company are Isabelle Edeson, Jennie Hoffarth, Ada Deaves, Marlon Ballou, Lillian Coleman, Signor Perugini, George Holland, Louis Imbous, Hudson Liston, Urie R. Collins and Ross O'Neil.

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MUST PAY A LICENSE.

Decision of Court Which Affects the Army Canteens.

Harrisburg, Pa., June 17.—Judge Simonson, in the county court, today decided that canteens for the sale of liquor to soldiers cannot be carried on without a regular license from the courts. This decision was made in the case of two men who were arrested on complaints of the anti-saloon league of the state for maintaining a canteen at Camp Meade.

Counsel for the defendants argued that they were acting under instructions of the commandant of the camp, who was acting under authority of a law. Judge Simonson said that he did not recognize such a law when in conflict with the law of the state; that the United States had no authority to issue a license to sell liquors in the states. He directed the jury to find a verdict of guilty and then suspend sentence. At the same time he notified all concerned that if there were any more violations of the law he would sentence them all.

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The mayor of Remedios has received 22 rifles. The men awaiting payment all the bows and arrows and many of them sleep in the parks. A number of men expecting payment have incurred debts for food and several of the names do not show on the lists.

Ronito Hernandez, who served during the ten years war, and who has been in the field since 1895, has not been placed on the list. This is an example of the way in which the lists are drawn up. The American soldiers are restraining the crowds who are anxious to be paid, but the Cubans are orderly.

The payment of the Cubans at Cardenas began this morning. After an argument between the mayor and the Cuban colonel, Mayata, the Americans agreed to pay the men who were laid off, even if they did not have any arms in their possession.

Mays Exports and Imports.

Washington, June 17.—The bureau of statistics has issued a corrected edition of the May statement of the imports and exports of the United States which shows that during the last eleven months the exports of merchandise exceeded the imports by \$8,432,131.

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- " " " when Philadelphia was the capital of the United States?
- " " " why 1900 will not be a leap year?
- " " " that Macbeth was a real person?
- " " " that Hamlet was only a mythical, or semi-historical character?
- " " " that Columbus died thinking America was a part of Asia?
- " " " that golf was played long before America was discovered?
- " " " that Bedlam, a madhouse, comes from Bethlehem, Christ's birthplace?
- " " " that Cuba is longer than from Canada to Alabama?
- " " " that girl originally signified a child of either sex?
- " " " that California big trees are taller than the Capitol at Washington and live four thousand years?
- " " " that horses walk on their toes and not on the flat of their feet?
- " " " that Farragut's father was a Spaniard?
- " " " that Manila Bay was the scene of a naval battle before Dewey's victory?
- " " " that Shakespeare and Cervantes died on the same date, but not on the same day?
- " " " that there is no city of Hong Kong?

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